# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:832
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PHASING OUT CROSS SUBSIDISATION
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether railways have approved a proposal to phase out cross-subsidisation of tariff rates over the next few years;

(b) whether any specific time limit or schedule has been set up for phasing out the same;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether a tariff regulator is being appointed; and

(e) if so, the functions of the regulator?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O.RAJAGOPAL)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) Do not arise.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.